# **FISCAL YEAR 2023 OPERATING BUDGET CALENDAR CHARLES COUNTY, MD**

(Adopted September 28, 2021)

Time Line Action	Time	Line	Action
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October 29, 2021 Elected Officials / Agencies receive Operating Budget Request Forms.

County Departments are provided either budget forms or on-line access to

the budget software for operating requests.

Performance Measurements file sent to departments.

December 6, 2021 County Department and Elected Officials / Agencies requested budgets and

Performance Measurement files are returned to Fiscal and Administrative

Services / Budget Division.

February 28, 2022 Board of Education and CSM Operating Budget Requests due.

March 22, 2022 **Budget Work Session**– Enterprise Funds (Operating and Capital)

Review of Budgets and Impact on associated Fees

- Water and Sewer

- Cable (Special Revenue)

- Recreation

March 29, 2022 **Budget Work Session** - Fees & Charges and Enterprise Funds

(Operating and Capital)

Review of all County Fees & Charges - highlighting new fees & changes to existing fees and Review of Budgets and Impact on associated Fees

- Landfill - Environmental Services

- Stormwater - Inspection

**Budget Work Session - General Fund Revenue Outlook** April 5, 2022

Review of Operating Revenue Estimates including:

- Property Taxes - Licenses and Permits

- Income Tax - Grants

- Recordation/Transfer - Fines & Forfeitures

Taxes

- Service Charges - Other Income

Note: Budget Calendars are subject to change.



## **OPERATING CALENDAR CONTINUED**

**Time Line** 

**Action** 

April 26, 2022

**Budget Work Session - General Fund** 

First Review of Proposed County Administrator Budget
Overview of Total Proposed Budget

Highlights of County Agencies funding

- Board of Education

- Other Agencies

- Sheriff's Office

April 27, 2022

#### **Budget Work Session** - General Fund

Final Review of Proposed County Administrator Budget

Highlights of County Government operations:

- Public Works - Facilities

- Emergency Services

 Recreation, Parks, & Tourism

- Fiscal & Administrative Services

Economic Development
 Remaining budgets

 Planning & Growth Management

- Community Services

- County Administrator Office

- County Commissioners Office

- County Attorney's Office

- Human Resources

April 27, 2022

**Public Hearing -** Constant Yield Tax Rate, & Operating and Capital Budgets

The property owners' opportunity to be heard on the issue of property tax rates before they are final. Also, Citizen's opportunity to be heard on the Proposed FY2023 Budgets

The Constant Yield Tax Rate is simply a property tax rate that, when applied to new assessments, will result in the taxing authority receiving the same revenue in the coming taxable year that was produced in the prior taxable year.

May 3, 2022

<u>Budget Work Session</u> -General Fund, Special Revenue Funds & Enterprise Funds

Special Revenue Budget Review to include:

- Federal & State Grants Fire & Rescue
- Special Programs with dedicated revenues

Recap Enterprise Funds

Commissioner Proposed Changes to the Budget

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# **OPERATING CALENDAR CONTINUED**

Time Line May 10, 2022	Action Budget Work Session - General Fund and All Budgets Commissioner Proposed Changes to the Budget	
May 17, 2022	<u>Budget Work Session</u> - General Fund and Recap of All Budgets Review Impact of Commissioner Changes to the Budget	
May 17, 2022	General Fund Tax Rates & Budget Adoption Budget Adoption of All Other Funds	
	Pending finalization of Governor's signing or vetoing State Bills	
May - July	Approved Budget Book prepared	

# FISCAL YEAR 2023 CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM BUDGET CALENDAR CHARLES COUNTY, MD

(Adopted September 28, 2021)

The CIP is a long-term planning and budget process which is reviewed annually to assist County Officials with the task of planning, constructing, and financing public infrastructure. These projects are planned for over a five-year increment. Budget funds are appropriated by the County Commissioners for the most current fiscal year of the CIP (Fiscal 2023). The CIP is broken down into Governmental and Enterprise fund projects.

#### Governmental Projects are supported by General Fund Revenues:

- Board of Education

College of Southern MD

- General Government

- Parks

- Transportation

(Buildings, Land Preservation)

#### Enterprise Fund Projects are supported by self supporting user fees:

- Water

- Stormwater

- Environmental Services

- Sewer

- Landfill

#### Time Line Action

September 17, 2021 Fiscal 2023-2027 Capital Improvement Program (CIP) forms sent to

County Departments and Agencies.

October 8, 2021

General Government CIP requests are returned to the Department of Fiscal

& Administrative Services / Budget Division.

• Board of Education (BOE) CIP Request due to the State for Interagency

Committee for School Construction (IAC) consideration by 10/4/2021;

submitted by BOE

October 15, 2021 BOE CIP requests are returned to the Department of Fiscal &

Administrative Services / Budget Division.

October 29, 2021 Enterprise Fund CIP requests are returned to the Department of Fiscal &

Administrative Services / Budget Division.

November 2, 2021 <u>Budget Work Session</u>: Preliminary BOE capital budget request review

with the County Commissioners and BOE to meet State deadline

submission.

• Forward County Commissioner Letter Of Support to IAC for Board of

Education CIP. (Letter due to IAC on November 30, 2021)



## **CIP CALENDAR CONTINUED**

<u>Time Line</u> <u>Action</u>

November - February CIP review with County Administrator and Departments.

March 22, 2022 <u>Budget Work Session</u> – Enterprise Funds

(Operating and Capital)
- Water and Sewer

March 29, 2022 <u>Budget Work Session</u> – Remaining Enterprise Funds (Operating and

Capital)

- Landfill - Environmental Services

- Stormwater

April 5, 2022 <u>Budget Work Session</u> –Governmental CIP overview

April 26, 2022 <u>Budget Work Session</u> – Governmental CIP review

April 27, 2022 Public Hearing on CIP

Citizen's opportunity to be heard on the Proposed FY2023-2027 CIP

May 3, 2022 <u>Budget Work Session</u> –Commissioner Proposed Changes to the CIP

Budget

May 10, 2022 <u>Budget Work Session</u> –Commissioner Proposed Changes to the CIP

Budget

May 17, 2022 <u>Budget Work Session</u> - Recap and final review of the FY2023-2027 CIP

May 17, 2022 Formal Adoption

Pending finalization of Governor's signing or vetoing State Bills